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Kenneth S. McHargh
Magistrate Judge

Education: Wooster 1966 BA; Connecticut 1974 JD
Began Service: March 2004

Government: Deputy Chief, Criminal Division, Northern District of Ohio,
United States Department of Justice, Ronald Reagan Administration
(1983-2004)

Chambers of Magistrate Judge (recalled) David S. Perelman

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David S. Perelman
Magistrate Judge (recalled)

Education: Case Western 1958
Began Service: September 14, 1979

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Number of Judgeships: 8

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Chambers of Chief Bankruptcy Judge Randolph Baxter

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Randolph Baxter
Chief Bankruptcy Judge

Education: Tuskegee 1967 BS; Akron 1974 JD
Began Service: December 16, 1985
Term Expires: December 15, 2013

Academic: Instructor, Kent State University (1974-1978); Adjunct
Professor, University of Akron School of Law (1989-1998)

Government: Courts Planner, Summit County Criminal Justice
Commission (1973-1976); Deputy Director, Public Service Commission
(1976-1978); Assistant Attorney, Civil Division, United States Department
of Justice (1978-1985)

Chambers of Chief Bankruptcy Judge Randolph Baxter continued

Military Service: United States Army (1968-1971)

Current Memberships: Akron Barristers Club; American Bankruptcy
Institute; Commercial Law League of America; Federal Bar Association;
National Bar Association; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

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Richard L. Speer
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1941
Education: Ohio Northern 1963 BS, 1966 JD
Began Service: 1975

Academic: Instructor in Real Estate Law, Terra Technical College
(1972-1996)

Government: Assistant Attorney General, Office of the Attorney General,
State of Ohio (1967-1969)

Legal Practice: Private Practice (1969-1970); Private Practice (1970-1975)

Current Memberships: Lucas County Bar Association; Ohio State Bar
Association; Ottawa County Bar Association; Toledo Bar Association

Staff

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Education: Toledo 1998 JD
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Pat E. Morgenstern-Clarren
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1952
Education: Michigan 1974 AB; Case Western 1977 JD;
London School Econ (UK) 1979 LL.M.
Began Service: December 1, 1995
Term Expires: December 1, 2009

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Jack Grant Day, Court of Appeals of
Ohio, Eighth District (1977-1978)

Judicial: Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Appellate Panel for
the Sixth Circuit (1999-2002)

Legal Practice: Attorney, Hahn Loeser & Parks (1979-1987); Partner, Hahn
Loeser & Parks (1987-1995)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; The William K.
Thomas American Inn of Court, The American Inns of Court; The American
Law Institute; Cleveland Bar Association; National Association of Women
Judges; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges; Ohio State Bar
Association; Ohio Women's Bar Association

Chambers of Bankruptcy Judge Pat E. Morgenstern-Clarren continued**Staff**

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Marilyn Shea-Stonum
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1947
Education: Case Western 1975 JD
Began Service: 1994
Term Expires: 2008

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Frank J. Battisti (1975-1976)

Legal Practice: Partner, Jones, Day, Reavis & Pogue (1984-1994)

Staff

Law Clerk **Carol Stebbins** (330) 252-6130
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Began Service: March 2006
Term Expires: March 2007
Law Clerk **Julie Zurn** (330) 252-6130
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Education: Akron 1994 JD

Chambers of Bankruptcy Judge Mary Ann Whipple

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Mary Ann Whipple
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1956
Education: Michigan 1977 AB; Stanford 1981 JD
Began Service: May 1, 2001
Term Expires: May 30, 2015

Affiliation: Bankruptcy Judge, Chambers of Bankruptcy Judge Mary Ann
Whipple, United States Bankruptcy Appellate Panel for the Sixth Circuit

Legal Practice: Attorney, Fuller & Henry, LTD (1981-2001)

Current Memberships: American Bankruptcy Institute; American Bar
Association; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges; Ohio State Bar
Association; State Bar of Michigan; Toledo Bar Association

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Russ Kendig
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1957
Education: Northwestern 1980 BS; Ohio State 1984 JD
Began Service: February 28, 2001

Academic: Instructor, Walsh College (1994-1995)

Chambers of Bankruptcy Judge Russ Kendig continued

Government: Special Counsel, Office of the Attorney General, State of
Ohio (1991-1995)

Legal Practice: Krugliak, Wilkins, Griffiths & Dougherty Co., LPA
(1984-1995); Lovells (1995-1996); Ross, Kendig & Arnold, Ltd.
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Arthur I. Harris
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: September 15, 1957
Education: Cornell 1979 AB; Michigan 1982 JD
Began Service: October 7, 2002
Term Expires: October 2016

Clerkships: Law Clerk, District Judge John M. Manos, United States
District Court for the Northern District of Ohio (1982-1984)

Government: Assistant U.S. Attorney, Northern Division, Civil Division,
United States Attorney's Office, United States Department of Justice,
Ronald Reagan Administration (1984-2002)

Staff

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Kay Woods
Bankruptcy Judge

Education: Bowling Green State BSEd; Ohio State JD
Began Service: July 7, 2004
Term Expires: July 2018

Staff

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